UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

VS.

STEFAN QIN, VIRGIL TECHNOLOGIES LLC, MONTGOMERY TECHNOLOGIES LLC, VIRGIL QUANTITATIVE RESEARCH, LLC, VIRGIL CAPITAL LLC, and VQR PARTNERS LLC,

Defendants.

Case No.: 20-cv-10849 (LGS)

[PROPOSED] ORDER AUTHORIZING RECEIVER TO RETAIN MILLER KAPLAN ARASE, LLP

WHEREAS this matter has come before this Court upon motion of the Receiver, Robert A. Musiala, Jr. (the "Receiver"), for authorization to retain Miller Kaplan Arase, LLP ("Miller Kaplan") to provide tax and consulting services (the "Motion");

WHEREAS Plaintiff consents to the relief requested in the Motion;

WHEREAS the Court finds that based on the record in these proceedings and the consent of Plaintiff, the Receiver's retention of Miller Kaplan is necessary and essential to enable the Receiver to execute faithfully his duties herein;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Motion is GRANTED; and

2. The Receiver is authorized to retain Miller Kaplan as provided in the Motion.

The Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to close the motion at Docket No. 169.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 18, 2022

LORNA G. SCHOFIELD

United States District Judge